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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 9, 2003, Applicants elect prosecution the claims of Group I, claims 1-6, 11-12, and 15-17, drawn to a magnetic recording medium and method of manufacture without traverse.

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